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TILT IN THE HOUSE OVER CAUCUS RULE

publicans for Vesting Power in Leader Mann.

NAMING OF COMMITTEES PRECEDED BY HOT DEBATE

derwood Is Striving to Capture Tariff Votes.

An outburst of progressive republican-House committees threw the House into a anxiety. lively debate this afternoon just before Representative Underwood, chairman of to the House for consideration the names committees, which have already been convalescent.

Representative Cooper of Wisconsin, sive republicans and democrats, each po- ten to twelve degrees of albumen. litical faction taking a whack at the oth-

'The republican party does not have to send its leaders to the White House for

The progressive republicans and many ocrats are wrathy because they belleve Chairman Underwood of the ways making committee appointments until he sees how the members are going to act with relation to the Underwood tariff attack of influenza.

Cooper Open Debate Mr. Cooper, who started the debate th

afternoon, said in part: "Two or three years ago there was a revolution in this House against the great power which the Speaker had in appointing committees. He was endowed with a power to fill committees in any way he chose, and there have been in-

which the country wanted. I will never attend a caucus and I will not be pledged "Men have been punished by Speakers for no other reason than that they violated a caucus agreement, and I am opposed to the method which the republicans have chosen of giving to one member, Representative James R. Mann of Illinois, the sole power to suggest members of committees for the republican side to be voted on today.'

Representative Madden of Chicago, a republican, interrupted him, saying: 'And I do not think it is right, either. Representative Murdock, the new pro gressive party leader, had something to

"I agree with the gentleman entirely, but does he know that the progressives meet in open conference The entire progressive party, which is making eyes at all the progressive re-

publicans, made eyes at Representative Cooper when he replied: "Yes, it is the only proper way." The progressive party in the House with eighteen pairs of hands, applauded. Representative Austin of came to the defense of the republican party by saying that he thought the party could be trusted to select the prop-

er floor leader and that James R. Mann could also be trusted in the selection of mmittee members. "Do not let us bicker over these unfortunate differences of opinion," he said. "but let us present an unbroken front to the free trade tariff bill they are seeking

Not a Personal Attack.

Mr. Murdock reminded Mr. Austin that Mr. Cooper was not making a personal attack on Mr. Mann, and also took the opportunity to advertise the progressive only fair way to treat the party and the

Representative Madden of Illinois. who had pleaded for an open caucus of the republican party, said: "This fossilized habit of selecting men regardless of their ability and simply because of length of service ought to be done away with. The time is coming when it will be done away with. Every committee in the House ought to sit in open session and caucuses ought to be held with open doors."

Representative Mondell, a standpatter. lefended the republican party with considerable vim and vigor. He said that the republican caucus had always selected good protectionists to fight the democratic free traders, so why criticise? Representative Good of Iowa criticised he democratic caucus and declared that committee assignments depend on the way members will act regarding the tariff

Committees Named.

The House later elected the ways and neans, rules, accounts, enrolled bills and meage committees, as recommended by the democratic committee on committees, republican Leader Mann and the progressive caucus.

The House was in session just one hour and transacted no other business.

SPLIT OVER WOOL ITEM.

Ohio Democratic Delegation in House Divided on Schedule. A split in the democratic delegation

from Ohio developed today after a caucus of its members in Representative Sherwood's office in the Copitol, the difference resting entirely on the question of free wool. Ohio being one of the big wool-producing states, its farmers are protesting violently, asking representatives to fight the wool schedule, which places that product on the free list. The difference which developed today is said to be irreconcilable. About

nine Ohio democrats are expected to vote against the tariff bill.

House Bill Would Permit Loans on Real Estate Security.

AMENDS NATIONAL BANK ACT

An amendment to the national bank act extending to the national banks the privilege of loaning money on real estate security was introduced in the House today by Representative A. Mitchell Palmer of Pennsylvania.

Representative Palmer said that he would not press the measure until the tariff had been disposed of and currency legislation was taken up in the House.

POPE PIUS BETTER, BUT IS VERY WEAK

Pontiff's Chance of Ultimate Recovery.

IS ABLE TO TAKE FOOD ONLY WITH DIFFICULTY

Belief Expressed That Chairman Un. Change in Weather Revives Spirits Assistant Secretary Declares Intenof Patient, But He Still Is Very Weak.

ROME, April 10 .- At noon today the ism against the republican caucus and the condition of the Pope was much better,

egg with broth, but the patient was days' meeting in the ballroom of the the ways and means committee, presented able to take it only with difficulty. of the members of the various House he hopes by next week Pius X will be gates, from all parts of the country, in-

An entirely contrary opinion, how- perts in the United States. ever, is expressed by some of those noted for his refusal to enter a caucus, immediately surrounding the Pope, who by Henry H. Ward, vice president of the and one of the foremost progressives in depict the situation as grave. They league, who introduced as the first the fight on Speaker Cannon, started the assert that an examination made by a speaker Franklin D. Roosevelt, assistant the reactionaries, progressives, progress- specialist showed the presence of from secretary of the navy. It was the new

Sisters at His Bedside.

Representative Mann of Illinois made the republicans laugh and caused the democrats to shudder when he said to mained with him this morning from half past 7 to half past 10.

instructions as to how to make up a Pope's bedstie, said this morning that his eral board of the navy, is scheduled to patient rested sufficiently well. His temperature is now a little above 97. and means committee is refraining from persistent reports that the Pope is suffering first line battleships, with the lesser units making committee appointments until he ing from nephritis, and reiterated that the and auxiliaries by 1925.

> cian, Prof. Ettore Marchiafava, paid the educate thousands of young men to be had passed a comparatively calm night, seives when they leave the navy and at disturbed only by occasional fits of the same time help to create a mercantile coughing and periods of great perspira- marine "owned and run by us." The

Better Weather an Aid.

The Pope rejoiced to see the morning bring a change in the weather. A splenstances where Speakers have packed com- did sun streamed in through the ample mittees so as to chil! the very legislation window of his bedroom. Although this seemed to encourage his spirits, he contaking nourishment, notwithstanding the efforts made by his own cook, Stefano Inchiostro, an old servant who came with him from Venice. Inchlostro keeps a special cow in the Vatican garden for his

Prof. Marchiafava said after his morning visit that he considered the unchanged positions as auguring well for a decided turn to the better. The only specific apprehension is heart weakness.

Concern for Pilgrims.

Just before 11 o'clock Cardinal Merry del Val, papal secretary of state, entered the bedchamber. The Pope said in reply to the cardinal's inquiry that he felt better. He then spoke about the pilgrims who had come to the Vatican from Venice, and expressed his regret that he would be unable to see them. Cardinal Merry del Val informed him that the pilgrims had been separated into groups and were being escorted about Rome, visiting various churches and basilicas, where they prayed for the pontiff's recovery. In all the churches of Rome this morn ing special prayers were offered for the recovery of the Pope. The faithful recited with the clergy the Latin: "Oremus

pro pontefici nostro"-"Let us pray for our pontiff Pius."

NAMED FOR COMMITTEES.

Progressives in House Confer Tomorrow Over Legislative Program.

At a meeting of the progressive conferopen conference, which he said was the ence of the House today, Representative Chandler of New York, who has been se lected as the progressive representative on the rules committee, declined to serve and Representative M. Clyde Kelly of by the cold figures of 50,500 enlisted men Pennsylvania was named for the place. Representative Woodruff of Michigan was named for the progressive place on accounts, and Representative Thomson of Illinois for the place on enrolled bills. take up the details of the legislative pro-

IN THE HOUSE TODAY. Met at noon.

Representative Stephens (Cal.) introduced bill directing Panama Railroad Company to establish Pacific steamship line in connection with Atlantic line Representative Mann introduced bill for tariff board of five mem-

Representative Hobson introduced joint resolution for constitutional amendment for direct election of President and single term; Representative Bartholdt one to limit presidential tenure to two four-year terms; Representative Neeley one to provide popular election of United States district judges every six years. Representative Bartholdt introduced resolution for commission to

fix boundaries of North and South American nations. Representative Clark introduced resolution for special committee to investigate various legislative and executive committees; Representative Austin one to investigate to-

bacco pool at Henderson, Ky., and Representative Lobeck one to investigate prices paid by government for elevators. President would be authorized to invite foreign nations to participate in naval parade at opening of Panama canal by resolution introduced

by Representative Copley. Representative Flood introduced resolution for government bureau of tobacco industry. Survey and estimate of ship canal between Lakes Erie and Onta-

rlo by La Salle-Lewiston route is directed in resolution by Representative Mott. A Lincoln memorial highway, Boston to San Francisco, via Washington, D. C., proposed in a bill of Representative Taylor (Col.). Representative Murdock introduced a bill for labeling of clothing

and textiles, and making misbranding a misdemeanor. Representative Palmer introduced a bill to permit national banks to loan money on real estate to 50 per cent of combined capital and sur-

Progressives selected Representative Kelly (Pa.) for rules committee, in place of Representative Chandler, who declined to serve. Adjourned at 1 p.m. until noon

Progressives Criticise the Re- Opinions Conflict as to the Criticism of Present Condition of Fleet Marks Navy League Session.

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT SPEAKS FOR DEPARTMENT

tion to Make Better Citizens of Uncle Sam's Sailors.

Demands for a definite policy for building up the navy, and criticisms of the method of giving James R. Mann, their but the weakness of his heart and his present condition of the fleet marked the leader, the power to suggest members for intermittent pulse were still causing opening session of the eighth annual convention of the Navy League of the The doctors permitted him to eat an United States, which began a three New Willard this afternoon. Attending Dr. Andrea Amici declared today that the convention are more than 300 delecluding some of the noted naval ex-

> The first session was called to order assistant secretary's first appearance in Washington as a public speaker, and his public introduction to the capital city. The watchword of the league, "Wanted

-A Naval Policy," was the topic for discussion at the meeting. Capt. John Hood, until recently captain of the battleship Dr. Amici, who spent the night at the Delaware, but now a member of the gen-Dr. Amici denied most emphatically the and to advocate a fleet of forty-eight

whole trouble is a relapse from his recent | Assistant Secretary Roosevelt declared that the present policy of the Navy De-The condition of the Pope was found to partment is not only to maintain a fightbe practically unchanged when his physiling force of the highest efficiency, but to pontiff an early morning visit today. He better citizens, fit them to help themdepartment wants to give the sailors industrial educations under ideal condi-

Praises the Navy League.

"The Navy League is, I take it, an organization which seeks to take up the broadest kind of question in the broadest kind of way," he continued. tinued to feel nauseated and averse to "If any man has an idea that you gentlemen are gathered here with the sole purpose of giving us a navy which will be bigger than all the other navies of the earth put together, he has but to look at the topics on the program for discussion to find out that you are interested in the great matters of peaceful commerce and internationa comity which engage the attention of every thinking American.

"Of course, you will realize that the Secretary of the Navy and I have had our hands at the helm of the department for a very brief time, but let me assure you that we have always known at least that a ship is hollow, and that we are striving not only to learn our task, but to help do our utmost to secure for our ships and for our officers and men the highest degree her arrival here last night the hotel of efficiency.

"And to obtain this, we need help. No organization, either private or public, can ever reach a high degree of perfection alone. There must be cooperation from the outside. A rail- Paul's Church for Saturday afternoon, road cannot succeed if every passenplant cannot go on unless it has the moral support of the neighboring townspeople. And so the navy cannot run it, from the Secretary down to the

ple of the country are thinking about them and giving them support. "This is not a question of war or peace. I take it that there are as many advocates of arbitration and international peace in the navy as in any other profession. But we are confronted with a condition-the fact that our nation has decided in the past to have a fleet, and that war still is

newest enlisted man, feel that the peo-

possibility. Navy Factor in National Life.

"That the navy is today an important Ammonia Boiler at Pensacola Ice factor in the life of the country is shown Plant Explodes.

3,076 officers, and many thousands of PENSACOLA, Fia., April 10.-Four mer civil employes in the yards and bureaus. were killed today by the explosion of an factor in our industrial and social life. the Moore ice works. The plant was par-The conference will meet tomorrow to Is it going to be made a factor for the tially demolished. Fumes from the escapnational good? That is what the department is trying to do and that is what the navy league can help us do. We want the country to feel that in main- building. taining a fighting force of the highest The force of the explosion shattered

efficiency, we are, at the same time, edu-cating thousands of young men to be and startled people from their hear form and startled people from their beds five better citizens and to be in a position to help themselves when they leave the miles away. Among the dead were W. service. We want to give them industrial H. Vincol and C. J. Floyd, engineers. The the carmen appeared probable this educations under ideal conditions. Most of all, we will help to create a merlons of ammonia. cantile marine owned by us and run

"The country as a whole is, I believe, interested in the navy. You gentlemen the navy to every man, woman and Wealthy Chemist, After Shooting child who is willing to listen, and I am Himself, Is Run Over by Train. firm believer that when this is done the people will express in terms which will not be misunderstood.

"I know that this meeting will be of real service, and I trust it will be the forerunner of greater knowledge, straighter er of Charles Simon of Paterson, N. J., thinking and better citizenship through- vice president of the National Silk Dyeout the nation.' addressed by Commander J. S. McKean, today by shooting himself in the head

U. S. N., and Col. Robert M. Thompson. The officers of the league are: Gen. Horace Porter, president; Henry H. Ward, vice president; Charles C Glover, treasurer; Col. Robert M. Thompson, chairman executive committee; Herbert L. Satterlee, counsel, and Arthur H. Dadmun, secretary; directors, William H. Stayton, Charles L. Poor, J. P. Morgan, jr., J. Frederick Tams, Col. Thompson, Francis B. Al- Sir Charles Bernard Among the len, Louis A. Osborne, Thomas Burke, Walter R. Addicks, Clinton E. Braine, Gen. Porter, William Ward, Louis C.
Hay, Dr. J. W. Croskey, Ernest K.
Roden, William S. Lloyd, Randolph H.
Roden, William S. Lloyd, Randolph H. Miner, William A. Clark and R. A.

The committee on arrangements for

the present convention is as follows: Gen. Porter, Col. Thompson, Mr. Dad- considerable numbers joined forces mun, Admiral George Dewey, U. S. N .: Henry B. F. Macfarland, Mr. Ward, Rear Admiral Richard Wainwright, U. S. repulsed the attack, but sustained a N.; Mr. Stayton, Mr. Poor, Mr. Morgan, Mr. Tams, Mf. Alen, Mr. Burke, Mr. Addicks, Mr. Braine, Mr. Hay, Dr. Croskey, Capt. Roden, Mr. Lloyd, Mr. Miner, Mr. Clark, Mr. Long, Horace H. Westcott, Lawrence Townsend, Arthur Lee, William Corcoran Eustis, Allerton Cushman, Aldis B. Browne, David S. Barry, Phillips Brooks Robinson, Perry Belmont, Commander J. S. McKean, U. S. N.; Robert C. Hayden, Judge Sidney Ballou, Clarence Woods De Knight, H. G. Macfarland, William P. Eno, Capt. W. Irving Chambers, U. S. N.; Lieut. Commander Chester Wells, U. S. N.; Hugh world that is planned to occupy a year. McLellan Southgate, Rear Admiral Vic- At Sacramento the boys will receive cretor Blue, U. S. N.; Lieut. Commander William Carlton Watts, U. S. N.; William Forrow and Charles A. Fowler.

MISS WILSON A MAGNET MORE TROOPS DESIRED FOR BUFFALO STRIKE Belgian Soldiers Occupy In-Throngs Try to See President's Daughter, Now at

Richmond Convention.

RICHMOND, Va., April 10.-Miss Jessie

Woodrow Wilson, the President's daugh

delegates to the National Young Women's

Christian Association convention. Since

where she is a guest has been overrun

with persons attracted by the hope of

today for cards of admittance to St.

when Miss Wilson will speak on "What

The sessions of the convention today

association workers and church women.

dent of the national board, and Miss

presented plans for the association work

FOUR KILLED IN EXPLOSION.

STANDS ON BRIDGE TO DIE.

ALLENTOWN, Pa., April 10 .- August

F. Simon of this city, a wealthy dealer

in dye stuffs and chemicals and broth-

ing Company, committed suicide early

while standing on a bridge spanning

His body fell to the tracks and was

run over by a locomotive. He left a

BRITISH COLUMN ATTACKED

Wounded on Burma Frontier.

tacked a battalion of police attached

to a British surveying party on the

frontier of Burma. The hillmen in

with the Chinese. The British column

few casualties. Among the wounded

was Sir Charles Bernard, chief com-

missioner and head of the surveying

Boys' Club Will Tour World.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 10. - Forty boys, between twelve and sixteen, mem-

bers of the Columbia Park Boys' Club of

this city, and all of them musicians or

athletes, left today for a trip around the

the Lehigh Valley railroad tracks.

wife and three daughters.

retary, read annual reports.

matters were taken up.

General Sympathetic Walk-Out Considered—Soldiers Wound Three Persons.

on duty here.

the hope that Mayor Fuhrmann's negobe successful.

Mabel Cratty of New York, general sec-Miss Ella Schooley of San Francisco injured, Harold Muna received a bullet wound in the right arm and Thomas at the Panama-Pacific exposition in 1915. Amesden was bayonetted in the right Committee reports and other business hand.

General Strike Considered.

The advisability of calling a general in sympathy with the striking carmen will car men in every way possible. Samuel Gompers, president of the Amer-

the national federation indorsed the pres- three votes.

Early Settlement Expected.

An early settlement of the strike of boiler contained nearly two thousand gal- afternoon when President E. G. Connette of the company announced that he would accept the offer of Mayor Fuhrmann to act as mediator and would recognize the union, providing car service was immediately resumed.

Sulzer Orders Inquiry.

ALBANY, N. Y., April 10.-Gov. Sulzer today directed the state labor departinto the causes and conditions of the Buffalo street railway strike. Deputy Attorney General James A. Parsons was designated to assist in the in-

DOING THE UNEXPECTED IN BASE BALL -BY-

Umpire Billy Evans

Tells how the great players and the great managers win games. In the Next

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THE OPENING OF THE BASE BALL SEASON, 1913.

WILLIAM THE COLUMN TO A STREET OF THE COLUMN THE COLUMN

dustrial Centers of the Nation.

BRUSSELS, Belgium, April 10. -

Troops today occupied most of the great industrial centers of Belgium in preparation for the general strike or-BUFFALO, N. Y., April 10.-The fifth dered for Monday, when 300,000 or day of the strike of the International 400,000 men will quit work. In most Railway Company's motormen and con-ductors began with the entire city and watch the arrival of the troops and which he lectured for several years. interurban service practically suspended cheered the soldiers as they marched. and the railway officials demanding from | The socialist strike leaders in the both civil and military authorities rein- various localities have offered to the forcements for the 3,000 members of the authorities the service of special conger is dissatisfied. A manufacturing the Association Means to the College 4th Brigade of the National Guard now stables drawn from their own ranks to aid in preserving order. They af-The insistent demands for additional firm that an outbreak of violence will be truly successful unless the men who were crowded with delegates and other military protection cast a shadow over delay their cause for half a generation. tional banks since the enactment of the of fans started the first line from the The strike is an attack on the pres-Miss Grace H. Dodge of New York, presi- tiations for a board of arbitration would ent system of plural voting in Belgium

> strike of the 42,000 union men in Buffalo children and paying a dollar or more be considered at a general meeting of the as has also a citizen over twenty-five pro rata loss. years old who owns \$400 worth of real 110 labor organizations here tonight. At estate. Two supplementary votes are still much better. Had this law been in a recent meeting the representatives of given to graduates of universities or effect since 1896, and all banks had is- was there today, shuffling about on the holders.

No person has more than three votes, and tailure to vote is a misdemeanor. ican Federation of Labor, on the long- In 1911 the number of voters was ing ammonia overcame several firemen distance telephone, assured the president 1,700,000, of whom 995,000 had one who attempted to enter the wrecked of the Carmens' Association today that vote, 395,000 two votes and 310,000

FOR LATIN-AMERICAN AMITY.

Diplomats Exchange Felicitations at

Meeting With Secretary Bryan. Expression of the desire of the Wilson administration to aid in promoting closer relations between the United States and board of the Pan-American Union, which | under this sys Ambassador da Gama of Brazil, ranking of the law." Latin-American diplomat here, welcomed Mr. Bryan. A vote of thanks, offered by Minister Calderson of Bolivia, was adopted "for the friendly and sympathetic sentiments" Mr. Bryan had spoken.

NEARING NORMAL CONDITION Resumption of Mail Deliveries in Ohio and Indiana.

sumed. According to reports received by in such places where it is possible temporary service is being established. Reports received this morning by the Duchess Undergoes Severe Operation. Postmaster General from St. Louis and Memphis indicate that the flood conditions at those points continue to grow Connaught was operated on this more serious. The railroads operating morning at Clarence House by William west from Memphis are entirely out of Arbuthnot Lanne, chief surgeon of commission as a result of washouts, and Guy's Hospital. The operation was a Sox, base ball champions of the world.

Eaton's Widow Gets Estate.

PLYMOUTH, Mass., April 10.-The will for probate, leaves his estate, with the exception of \$600, to his widow, who is awaiting trial on the charge of having murdered him. The value of the estate law, Harry B. Russell, today. Only immediate relatives of the two were present. In prevailing opinion that Bedient would

TO AVERT PANICS

troduced in House by Representative Prouty.

AID THROUGH TREASURY IN EMERGENCY PERIODS

tional Banks, Under Conditions, as Safeguard.

largely as a substitute for the system it was not until nearly 3 o'clock that to prevent panies in what is known as the grandstands began to fill up. the Aldrich plan and which Mr. Prouty | Shortly after 2 o'clock Pistorio's band. believes is too cumbersome for practical ragtime selections, evidently with the in-purposes. Representative Prouty's theory tention of making the fans forget how is that every bank in every community chilly they were, and the concert con-

The Prouty bill provides that the controller of the currency, under the direc- ness at the White House offices so he tion of the Secretary of the Treasury, could attend the game and toss the first may issue circulating notes to any na- ball from his box to Manager Griffith tional bank "that has a 20 per cent or more surplus, and is in a good, sound financial condition." The notes are to be equal in amount to 40 per cent of the They are to be kept in the vaults of the ed currency. A fine of \$10,000 and an im- crowds at the entrance. prisonment of ten years are specified as the limit of penalty for infractions of as well as those in the grandstands, the proposed law.

Interest Provision.

For the privilege of issuing these notes in an emergency the bank shall pay rumor was groundless and that plenty interest to the government at the rate of tickets could be had at the park. of 5 per cent a year for the first three By 2:15 o'clock this afternoon the months, 6 per cent for the next three grandstands were pretty well filled. months and 10 per cent thereafter. This increasing rate is designed to cause big stands, while the pavilions were ury the amount of actual currency corresponding to the amount of emergency others joining in just from the conotes to be redeemed. The government would guarantee this

emergency currency, even if the bank issuing any of them should fail. Repre sentative Prouty's figures show that the nterest would take care of any possible

In effect, according to the author of the bill, there would never be another States government, and when "hard them, times" appeared on the horizon the controller of the currency would give the word to release all or any part of it, before the frightened depositors came clamoring to the doors of closed banks. It is a scheme on which Representative Prouty has been working for several months and is the fruit of many years of

Measure Explained.

That the government would suffer no loss iin guaranteeing this huge sum is explained in detail by Representative that whistled around the corners out at Prouty in a statement to a Star reporter: 7th street and Florida avenue this morn-"There have been 525 failures of na- ing when the early birds of the big flock banking law of 1865. An analysis of the ticket booths. But it hadn't a thing on report of the controller of the currency shows that had this law been in force all whereby citizens have one, two or the time it would have required the fed- shortly after 8 o'clock this morning, wait-The troops used their rifles. Mrs. Ida three votes, according to their station eral government to have put out for the ing as patiently as they could until the Lorich was shot in the back and fatally in life. The strikers demand that all redemption of these notes \$2,432,553 promale citizens shall have one-and only vided the full issue had been made by thrown open. all the failing banks. This is an average Under the present system every citi- of about \$37 000 per year. As there is now wears low-cut shoes all winter and who scorns a vest; the young man who wears zen over twenty-five years of age has amount of currency that could be issued a heavy sweater under an equally heavy one vote. Every citizen over thirty- at the present time under this law would overcoat; the fan who knows the record be about \$536,000,000. One-tenth of 1 per of every player in the big leagues and cent on this amount would yield to the who can recite the figures backward, and government \$52,600 or nearly twice as the quiet, unassuming man who doesn't in house tax has a supplementary vote, much as would be required to stand the say a lot, but who frequently calls his

"The showing since the panic of 1893 is statistics of base ball. sued the full amount of currency author- new concrete pavement that has replaced ized in my bill, the government would the old cinder walk at the entrance to the have been required to put up only \$197,963 to protect this currency, or an average of was started early this morning had grown a little less than \$12,000 a year, and the into three long lines, stretching from the interest even at the rate of 1 per cent would produce about \$526,000.

Reimbursement of Losses.

"So it is perfectly apparent that the interest that would be paid by the banks on this currency would many times reimburse the federal government for any losses it might sustain by reason of having guaranteed this issue. Of course, under this system the per cent of loss would be very much reduced, as my figures are appeal. Half way down the outside line all based on the failures of all national a solitary woman kept her place until the the countries of Latin-America was given banks regardless of whether they had a gates swung open. She looked lonesome yesterday afternoon by Secretary Bryan surplus or were considered strong by the in the big crowd of men, but she never at the first meeting of the governing controller. It is perfectly apparent that stirred from the point of vantage she had he had attended, and of which he, as cally no loss to the government, and it in obtained, though it was not until almost turn would receive large revenues should noon that several other women appeared ment to conduct a public investigation Secretary of State, is chairman ex officio. the banks avail themselves of the benefits and took their places farther down the

RECOGNIZES NEW CHINA.

Brazilian Government Anticipates a place near the head of one of the Action by This Country. PEKING, April 10.-The Brazilian gov-

ernment, anticipating similar action on the part of the United States, has cabled belonged. to the Chinese government its recognition of the new republic. The Brazilian sued to the police squad on duty at the and Chinese flags were displayed to- park, were required to park their ma-Mail facilities in the flood districts of Indiana and Ohio are rapidly being regether over the government offices today. In leaving the park will have to proceed Reports circulated abroad yesterday north on 7th street instead of driving Postmaster General Burleson it is only that Li Yuan Hung, vice president of their machines south through the crowd. a question of a few days until everything the republic, and long the rival of Presi- The new rule has been adopted in order will be in a normal condition, at least so dent Yuan Shih-Kai for the leadership, to save the autoists from the new traffic regulations, as well as to far as mail communication is concerned. had been assassinated, are declared un-A few lines still remain completely out true. Both the president and the vice that it will be in force during the enof commission on account of railway bridges having been washed away, but in such places where it is possible for.

LONDON, April 10 .- The Duchess of Red Sox, Athletics, Tigers and

duchess.

Former Gov. Douglas Weds. of Rear Admiral Joseph C. Eaton, filed | BROCKTON, Mass., April 10.-Former

BASE BALL PARK

Revised Currency Measure In- Throngs Defy Chilling Blasts to See Nationals Open the Season.

CHEERING HUMANITY **GREETS BOTH TEAMS**

Issue of Circulating Notes to Na- President Wilson Arranges White House Business So as to Be Able to See Contest.

To protect absolutely the country from With every seat in the big concrete, inancial panies, to put over half a bil- grandstands disposed of long before lion dollars of emergency currency in the the hour for opening the gates at the vaults of banks and to reconstruct cer- base ball park, and the announcement tain features of the currency scheme with that 25,000 tickets had been sold in simplicity and ease, the first of the pro- advance, the local American League posed "revised currency" measures was season opened this afternoon. Cold introduced into the House of Representa- weather and a nipping wind, that made tives today by Representative Prouty of heavy overcoats feel mighty comfort-Iowa, a republican. He offers the bill able, kept down the early crowd, and

believes is too cumbersome for practical in the main stand, started a program of should be in control of its own resources tinued until Announcer Phillips, back of without being dependent on money cen- his big megaphone, stepped to the front and center and cried the batteries for President Wilson arranged his

Rumor Keeps Down Crowds.

A widespread rumor to the effect that capital stock and surplus of the bank. no seats except for the bleachers remaind probably had its effect in keep express authority of the controller of the ing down the size of the early morning

The rumor had it that pavilion seats. had been reserved and that all were sold, and many were the telephone messages from investigators who went early to the base ball park telling friends waiting downtown that the

and when the game started at 3 o'clock few empty chairs were visible in the banks to call in such notes as soon as crowded with cheering, yelling, whooppossible. To redeem these notes a bank ing masses of men and boys, some of must deposit in the United States Treas- them yelling from pure enthusiasm over the opening of the season, and

tagion of the thing. Team Members Cheered.

The members of the Washington team were greeted with a joyous outburst of cheering when they appeared for the short practice before the game, each panic. The national banks would have member of the team-the new members over half a billion dollars of notes in as well as the veterans-being greeted by their vaults, all guaranteed by the United name as persons in the stands recognized

The two Cuban players, Calvo and Acosta, added to the team this season. were objects of curiosity, comparatively few of the fans having seen the lads before. Frank Chance's warriors, likewise, were cheered by the crowd, though the New Yorkers had to put up with not a them that Walter Johnson was booked to

Eager for the Fray. It was "an eager and a nipping air" said early birds in the matter of eager-

They were all there-the fellow who more loquacious fellow-fan down on the

The fan in all his moods and tenses park; and by noon the single line that gates of the park down to 7th street and around the corner, while every northbound car added its quota to the goodnatured throng of enthusiasts that today

came into their own. Wide Appeal Demonstrated.

Away up at the head of the triple line Filipino, a Spanlard and an Irishman, waiting there with the rest of fandom, testified to the universality of base ball's lengthening lines.

Capt. Doyle and a squad of policemen had little to do in the way of preserving order. Once in awhile some overanxious fan, seeking to get an early start into the park, tried to edge his way into lines. Usually he was quickly crowded out and shoved back to his proper place, and only once or twice did such an individual have to be told by the police to go back to the end of the line where he

Automobilists, according to orders isto save the autoists from violations of avoid accidents, and it was said today tire base ball season.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Browns Will Play. BOSTON, April 16.-The Boston Red

mails from St. Louis are being detoured. severe one, but was borne well by the were in top condition today to begin the defense of their title in the opening game of the American League season, with the Philadelphia Athletics as their opponents. The weather was clear, calm and cool. for probate, leaves his estate, with the Gov. William L. Douglas and Mrs. Alice and several thousand devoted followers